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NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE **BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In re Application of:				
Dale BASKIN et al.				
Serial No.: 09/818,086) Group Art Unit: 1637	
Filed:	March	26, 2001) Examiner: J. Tung	
For:	METHODS OF DETERMINING) THE PRESENCE OF) POLYNUCLEOTIDES) EMPLOYING AMPLIFICATION)		RECEIVED	
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Office Action mailed February 11, 2003.				
	The item(s) checked below are appropriate:			
1.		A Petition for extension of time to respond to the final rejection was filed on extending the period for response to		
2.	\boxtimes	A Petition for extension of time to extend the period for response to August 11, 2003, is enclosed together with a fee of \$930.00.		
3.	☐ The Appeal Fee of \$320.00.			
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Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW, GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

Dated: August 11, 2003

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